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<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>

WHEREAS, by virtue of the assignment from sole inventor Lisa Scott dated May 1, 2002, which assignment has been recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office at reel/frame 013165/0670, on August 6, 2002, <u>Dominion Energy, Inc.</u> ("Dominion"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the <u>Commonweath of Virginia</u>, and having a principal place of business at <u>120 Tredegar Street</u>, <u>Richmond</u>, <u>Virginia 23219</u>, is the owner of following pending patent applications:

Country / Organization	Application Number	Publication Number	Title
US	10/075,258	2002/120,091	Poly Amic Acid System for Polyimides
WO	PCT/US02/04404	02/066,539	Poly Amic Acid System for Polyimides

as well as all US and foreign equivalents of such applications; and

WHEREAS, Medtronic, Inc. ("Medtronic"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the <u>State of Minnesota</u> and having a principal place of business at <u>710 Medtronic Parkway N.E., Minnesota 55432</u>, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, clear title and interest in and to said invention for the United States and for all foreign countries and in and to any and all foreign and domestic Letters Patent applications claiming priority thereof which may be granted therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Dominion has sold, assigned, transferred and set over and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Medtronic, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and any foreign countries which may be granted therefore, including all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and in and to any and all extensions, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part or reissues of said Letters Patent that may be granted, the same to be held and enjoyed by Medtronic for its own use and behoof and use and behoof of its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this assignment and sale not been made;

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, we materially represent to Medtronic, its successors and assigns, that at the time of the execution and delivery of these presents, we are the sole lawful owners of the entire right, clear title and interest in and to the invention, application and Letters Patent above mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered, and that we have good right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth;

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, Dominion hereby covenants and agrees to and with Medtronic, its successors and assigns, that whenever its counsel or the counsel of its successors or assigns, learned in the law, shall advise that an amendment or division of, or continuation or any continuation-in-part thereof, or any other proceeding in connection with the filing or prosecution of said domestic or foreign patent applications, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that a reissue of extension of said Letters Patent is lawful and desirable, Dominion shall request Lisa Scott, or her executors, administrators or assigns to sign all papers and drawings, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement of valid Letters Patent for said invention, or for all other patent applications claiming priority thereof, without charge to Medtronic, its successors or assigns, but at Medtronic's expense and discretion to prosecute, maintain and enforce, as provided under the Assignment from Lisa Scott described above.

As an authorized representative of Dominion E Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the Liwith this instrument.	nergy, Inc., I hereby request the Honorable etters Patent to Medtronic, Inc. in accordance
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto se	et my hand on this day of
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re Application of: Lisa Scott.

For: Polyamic Acid Systems For Polyimides

Serial No.: 10/075,258 Filed: February 15, 2002

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR §1.8 I hereby certify that this Amendment and Transmittal and the paper(s), as described herein are being sent to telefactimile No. (703) 872 9306, Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-7450 on this 16th day of _______ August_____, 2004.

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Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- X AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
- X Request for One-Month Extension of Time
- X Revocation and Power of Attorney and Change of Corresponding Address
- X Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(B)
- X Copy of Assignment

Applicant hereby petitions for one months' extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this petition therefor.

X Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 in the amount of \$110.00 for the one-month extension fee.

Y Please charge any additional fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 13-2546 which may have been overlooked on this Amendment Transmittal with regard to this filing. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need

for an extension of time.

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